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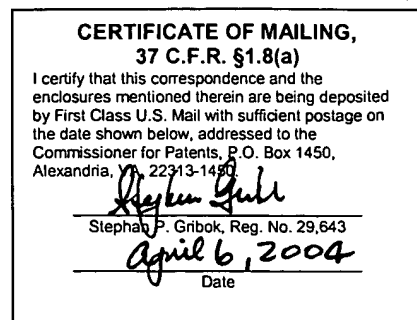
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For: MOLD FOR OPTIMIZING COOLING TIME TO FORM
MOLDED ARTICLE



RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the official action mailed March 9, 2004, which comprises a requirement of restriction under 35 U.S.C. §121. Applicant hereby elects for further prosecution the invention identified by the Examiner as Invention II, original claim 33, drawn to a mold for an optical disk, classified in class 425, subclass 810.

This election is made without traverse. Applicant requests preliminary entry of the amended claims beginning on the following pages, wherein the non-elected claims are canceled and claims are added to the elected invention. No fee is required and no new matter is presented. Applicant also requests examination of the claims for advancing the case to allowance in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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